Following are selected non-GPO resources that will help you learn more about the FDLP and government documents librarianship.

Books

- Andriot, Donna, ed. *Guide to U.S. Government Publications.* Farmington Hills, MI: Gale Group. Annually identifies agency series and SuDocs class stems and provides publication history.
- Boyd, Anne M. *United States Government Publications.* 3rd ed. Revised by Rae E. Ripps. New York: H.W. Wilson, 1949, reprinted 1952. Guide to historical information about government printing and dissemination.
- Hernon, Peter et al. *United States Government Information: Policies and Sources.* Westfield, CT: Libraries Unlimited, 2002. Scholarly approach combines reference sources with government policies.

- Morehead, Joe. *Introduction to United States Government Information Sources.* 6th ed. Englewood, CO: Libraries Unlimited, 1999. First edition in 1975 supplanted Schmeckebier.

- Morrison, Andrea, ed. *Managing electronic government information in libraries: issues and practices.* Chicago: American Library Association, 2008. Experienced FDL librarians write on all topics from preservation to information literacy to cataloging and more. Management oriented, but still useful for new librarians.

- Robinson, Judith Schiek. *Tapping the Government Grapevine: The User-Friendly Guide to U.S. Government Information Sources.* 3rd ed. Phoenix, AZ: Oryx Press, 1998. Readable and fun classic.

- Schmeckebier, Laurence F. and Roy B. Eastin. *Government Publications and Their Use.* Washington, DC: Brookings Institution, 1969. Provides the history of documents, bibliographies, and catalogs

- Sears, Jean L. and Moody, Marilyn K. *Using Government Information Sources: Electronic and Print, 3rd edition.* (Phoenix: Oryx Press, 2001) In-depth reference text for sources, emphasizing subject approach.

Web Resources

- [ALA Government Documents Round Table (GODORT)](#) : Current news on a variety of issues, e.g., appropriation bills, NTIS, etc.; links to professional resources such as e-journals, electronic discussion lists, state documents groups; laws and legislation.

- [ALA GODORT Toolbox for Processing and Cataloging Federal Government Documents](#) :
Links to GPO products, GPO cataloging records at OCLC, vendors, PURLs; Web pages by
depository librarians, etc.

- [ALA GODORT Government Information Clearinghouse & Handout Exchange](#) :
Submissions by documents librarians on a variety of topics, e.g., CD-ROM user guides,
collection development policies, maps user guides and processing, staff policies and training
guides, etc.

- [Important for Map Librarians: Additional Resources](#) , Federal Depository Library
Handbook Appendix C.